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Applicant	Sithian Pandian et al.			
Title	METHOD OF AMPLIFICATION FOR INCREASING THE SENSITIVITY OF DETECTING NUCLEIC ACID-PROBE TARGET HYBRIDS			
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SMALL ENTITY STATUS:				
■ Applicant claims small entity sta	atus under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.			
APPLICATION ELEMENTS:				
Cover sheet		1 page		
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Abstract		1 page		
Drawing		2 sheets		
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